

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

<i>In re</i> Application of:	§	Customer No.: 23632
PETRUS (Deceased) and VOSS	§	
	§	Confirmation No.: 7569
Application No.: 10/582,888	§	
	§	Group Art Unit: 1796
Filed: June 14, 2006	§	
	§	Examiner: HEINCER, Liam J.
For: Process for the Liquefaction of	§	
Lignocellulosic Material	§	Attorney Docket No.: TS1404 US

1. AMENDMENT; AND 2. RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED NOVEMBER 12, 2008

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Madame:

The Examiner is respectfully requested to enter the accompanying amendment. A response to the Non-Final Office Action (hereinafter “the Action”) dated November 12, 2008, for which the shortened statutory period for reply ends on **February 12, 2009**, is also submitted. Please charge any fees required for this submission to Haynes & Boone LLP’s Deposit Account No. 08-1394, Order No. 29402.33. Applicants believe that the present materials place the claims in condition for allowance, and re-examination and reconsideration is respectfully requested on this basis.

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims (as reflected in the **Listing of Claims**) begin on page 11 of this paper.

The **Response/Remarks** begins on page 20 of this paper.